

Obie Benz, Chairman, conducted the meeting.

I. Minutes of the last meeting, June 16, were read.

II. Finances: donations should be given by the corps group. This is not a mandatory donation if the individual cannot afford it.

Fat cat letters: there is a form letter and a mimeographed sheet of the activities. People should go through the directory and check off names of those who might give money. A hand-written letter would be best, but Margy Nason will type out a form letter which can be signed. There is 275.00 in the group checking account.

III. There is no report on Draft Counseling.

IV. Head Start: there is no problem with transportation of the children. Libby White suggested those working on the program should try to meet the families a week before the program starts. There will be a meeting next week for those working for Head Start.

V. Research: This group has decided to research the community-college relationship on three levels:

- 1) fact-finding mission to view the past conflicts of the town and the college.
- 2) how the college conceives of itself, of the community, and of the relationship between the two
- 3) survey of townspeople and how they view the college, the community, and their relationship. This is also a survey of the students and faculty.

VI. Community Relations: The group has been given the first five to fifteen minutes at the Selectman's meeting on Monday, the 29th, to explain what CIG is.

ABE (Action for a Better Community) meets at 7:00 A.M. for breakfast every Thursday morning. A small group of the CIG should go if possible. We have told the Garden Club that we will help them. Mrs. Miller wants to work with two or three groups of two or three people to show them what to do. She will work out a schedule.

There will be a coffee house at the Teen Center. Paul Forrest and Brian Curry have offered to entertain.

This group has been given a booth at the Bristol Fair for July 2-4. They have decided to call on the faculty wives to make baked goods to sell in the booth. They will also make as many crafts to sell as possible.

Rev. Cambell wants the house next to the Methodist Church to be torn down. He has six men from the town to help supervise the operation. The CIG should have at least six people to help. This will be done Wednesday and Thursday nights at 6:30 P.M.

VII. The minutes of the Advisory Board meeting of June 18 were read. The next meeting was tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, July 1.